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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a one-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action mailed August 12, 2005, said period of response being extended from November 12, 2005 to December 12, 2005.

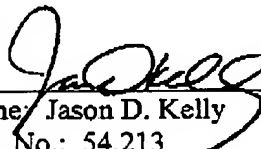
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